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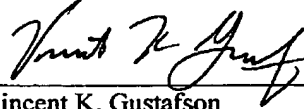
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In the above-referenced patent application, a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was filed on August 7, 2006 with a completed form PTO/SB/08a identifying US Patent No. 6,676,680. A Notice of Allowance was issued in the present application on October 6, 2006, but without a copy initialed by the Examiner of Applicant's form PTO/SB/08a submitted on August 7, 2006.

Receipt of Applicant's Information Disclosure Statement dated August 7, 2006 was acknowledged by the Office via an Auto-Reply Facsimile Transmission bearing the same date. Moreover, Applicant's August 7, 2006 Information Disclosure Statement is properly reproduced in the Office's online Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider Applicant's Information Disclosure Statement dated August 7, 2006, and to return to Applicant an initialed copy of the completed form PTO/SB/08a that accompanied such Information Disclosure Statement.

Respectfully submitted,



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